TUMKUR MUNICIPALITY.

Proceedings of the meeting of the Tumkur Town Municipal Board held on Tuesday the 13th July 1886 at the Reading Room.

Present.

N. Krishna Rao, Esq., Vice-President.	S. Arnold, Esq., Assistant Surgeon.
Revd. G. W. Sawday.	O. Venkatachar, Esq., Pleader.
H. Ramadasappa, Esq., Pleader.	A. Appanna Chetti, Esq., Merchant.

I. Passed the accounts of receipts and disbursements for the month of June 1886.

II. There were 7 deaths (1 male and 6 females) and 13 births (5 boys and 8 girls) in the town during the month of June 1886.

III. Read application from G. Venkatachalaiya, Municipal Commissioner, asking for a year's leave. Resolved that the Municipality has no authority to grant leave, and that as he has absented himself for three consecutive months, his name will be taken off the list of member according to rule and some one else will be elected in his stead at the next meeting. This resolution will be endorsed on his application.

IV. Read Abdul Karim's petition regarding the encroachment of Gare Siddappa on a Municipal lane in the Horapettah. Resolved that a notice be issued to him to remove the building within a month and that in default a civil suit be instituted against him by the Municipality.

V. Read Dr. McGann's letter and its enclosure regarding the entertainment of a midwife of the barber caste in connection with the Tumkur Civil Hospital. Resolved that it would be preferable to employ a Eurasian midwife if one can be found on Rs. 20 a month, that the Vice-President write to this effect to Dr. McGann and that the Assistant Surgeon in communication with Dr. McGann try to find a suitable woman for the post.

VI. With reference to Executive Engineer's letter asking for a site to build a latrine for the lock-up prisoners, the meeting suggests that the vacant place near the cattle pound be taken up for the purpose.

VII. Resolved that the lighting contract be given out again to Venugopal Naidu for Rs. 150 a year on the same terms as last year.

VIII. Resolved that as the place asked for by the toddy contractor to open a toddy shop has been objected to by the inhabitants, the contractor be told to look after another place and report to the next meeting.

IX. Resolved that the beef butchers be taxed at the rate of 8 annas for each animal slaughtered, as they have hitherto been killing without a tax, while the sheep butchers pay a tax and that the subject of building for them be left till the next meeting.

X. Resolved that an estimate be framed for turning off the channel that runs from the fort to the Balankatte to the channel on the other side, as the drainage of the fort is carried to the Balankatte, thereby fouling the water.

Proceedings of the Tumkur Town Municipal meeting held at the Reading Room on the morning of the 10th August 1886.

Present.

N. Krishna Rao, Esq., Vice-President.	H. Ramadasappa, Esq., Pleader.
S. Varadarajaiengar, Esq., Munsiff.	S. Arnold, Esq., Assistant Surgeon.
Revd. G. W. Sawday, Wesleyan Missionary.	A. Appanna Chetti, Esq., Merchant.

Read and approved the proceedings of the last meeting.

I. Passed the accounts of receipts and disbursements for the month of July 1886.

II. There were 25 deaths (11 men and 14 women) and 10 births (9 girls and 1 boy) during the month of July 1886.

III. The estimates for the construction of V shaped drains and the repairs of Municipal road will be considered at the next meeting.

IV. Sanctioned the payment of Rs. 46—3—6 for certain lands taken up for the channel to the Balankatte. The estimates for the remaining lands will be prepared by the Overseer for the next meeting.

V. Resolved that the work of diverting the sewage water of the town from the Balankatte be put in hand, the cost not to exceed Rs. 50. The old stones of the present drain will be utilized for the purpose.

VI. Resolved that the repairs to the roof of the mutton stalls be executed at a cost of Rs. 6 as per estimate.

VII. Resolved that 5 dozen grafted mango trees be obtained from Bangalore for planting in the Municipal garden.

VIII. Resolved that an estimate be prepared by the Vice-President for the removal of a portion of a house projecting on the road in the Christian lines.

IX. Resolved that tenders be invited for the construction of V shaped drains and the execution of repairs of Municipal roads as per estimates.

Proceedings of a special meeting of the Tumkur Municipal Board convened on the morning of the 13th August 1886.

Present.

N. Krishna Rao, Esq., Vice-President.	O. Venkatachar, Esq., Pleader.
S. Varadarajaiengar, Esq., Munsiff.	A. Appanna Chetti, Esq., Merchant.
S. Arnold, Esq., Assistant Surgeon.	P. Sugappa, Esq., Merchant.
L. Srinivasaiengar, Esq., Advocate.	

The Madigars and Dombar's houses having been submerged by the late heavy rains—

1. Resolved that the vacant ground lying to the west of Kikere, measuring 150 feet by 72 feet, be made over to the Dombars for building on.

2. As regards the site for Madigar's houses, a portion of the field bearing Revenue Survey No. 289, measuring 3 acres and 35 guntas, seems to be a convenient place, and is chosen for their use. The question of compensation and the purchase of land has to be settled by the Revenue and Public Works Departments.

Proceedings of the Tumkur Town Municipal Board meeting held at the District Office on the morning of the 14th September 1886.

Present.

M. Annaji Rao, Esq., Vice-President.	L. Srinivasaiengar, Esq., Advocate.
C. T. Dalal, Esq., Executive Engineer.	H. Ramadasappa, Esq., Pleader.
Revd. G. W. Sawday, Wesleyan Missionary.	O. Venkatachar, Esq., Pleader.
S. Arnold, Esq., Assistant Surgeon.	A. Appanna Chetti, Esq., Merchant.
	P. Sugappa, Esq., Merchant.

I. The monthly accounts for August 1886, showing a receipt of Rs. 332—7—0 and a disbursement of Rs. 279—5—7, have been passed.

II. There were 19 deaths and 8 births during the month.

III. Estimates for original works and repairs amounting to Rs. 1,314 have been examined. They include a sum of Rs. 314 of last year's works. Enquiry has to be made as to how the excess arose over and above the sanctioned estimates in the past year, why provision should be made from this year's funds. With this exception estimates are approved.

IV. The subject of compensation for acquiring a house property in Christian street to widen the road will be referred to the C. Division Commissioners for report.

V. As no proper steps have been taken to invite tenders for original works and repairs in this town, it will be done now. The President or the Vice-President will select the contractor and start the work.

VI. The subject of the removal of the vegetable market from its present place will be considered at the next meeting, meanwhile, the Commissioners of the Division are requested to prepare an estimate of the probable cost of new vegetable stalls.

VII. The latrine near the Balankatte will not be dismantled at present, but it will be blocked up and the Police on the spot will be desired to keep the ground in the neighbourhood clean.

VIII. The pay of the Municipal Peon Abdul Rasul will have to be increased from Rs. 4 to 5 a month, provided there is fund available to meet this extra charge. The subject will be placed before the members at the next meeting for final disposal.

Proceedings of the Tumkur Town Municipal Board meeting held on the 16th October 1886.

Present.

M. Annaji Rao, Esq., Vice-President.	S. Arnold, Esq., Assistant Surgeon.
Revd. G. W. Sawday, Wesleyan Missionary.	L. Srinivasaiengar, Esq., Advocate.
	H. Ramadasappa, Esq., Pleader.

1. Passed the accounts of receipt and disbursement for the month of September 1886.

2. There were 14 deaths and 5 births in the town during the month of September 1886.

3. Peon Abdul Rasul's pay has been increased from Rs. 4 to 5 a month from the beginning of this month. The increase is to be met from the savings in the conservancy establishment.

4. It is resolved in accordance with the report of the Division Commissioners that 2 months' notice be given to the owner of the house in the Christian street (Channigaraya) of the intention of the Municipality to take up so much of his house which abuts on the road and pay compensation.

5. Application of the toddy contractor to build a shop in Kikere is postponed to another meeting for disposal.

6. The subject of want of a room for the purpose of collecting duty, &c., on piece goods will be referred to the Deputy Commissioner and he will be requested to place one in the Taluk Cutcherry at the disposal of the Municipality.

7. It is resolved that the cattle pound be taken under the direct management of the Municipality and that arrangements be made for taking over the establishment from the 1st of November 1886.

8. Read the report of the Municipal Commissioners Ramadasappa and Appanna Chetti. It is resolved that Nanjunda Rao be called upon for an explanation in building over the public lane within one week, and to desist from carrying out the work till the matter is finally settled by the Municipality.

9. The subject of enlarging the existing latrines be postponed to the next meeting.

10. The subject of removal of Suleman Sab's house on the Balankatte bund be referred to the Division Commissioners for a full report on the subject.

M. ANNAJI RAO,
Vice-President.